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Council of Rosebud. Reduce Expenditure

A meeting of the council of the Municipality of Rosebud No. 280, was held in Crossfield on Monday 13th inst.

Councillors A. S. Gough and George Almsough were unanimously elected Reeve and Deputy Reeve respectively.

Mr. R. D. Sutherland was appointed Secretary-Treasurer at a salary of \$1200 per annum.

Mr. W. A. Pryor was re-appointed Auditor.

The Councillors unanimously decided to reduce council fees to \$3.00 per diem and the rate allowed for mileage to 8 cents for both meetings and road supervision.

It was agreed to accept the offer from the Crossfield School Fair Association to erect a building on the fair grounds from material in the grandstand and to supply material to finish to the extent of \$100.00.

Several hospital cases were reported and several matters of a routine nature dealt with.

Grand Calico Dance Friday Night, Mar. 17

The Floral Local U. F. W. A. are sponsoring a St. Patrick's Calico Dance in the East Community Hall tomorrow night, Friday, Mar. 17th. Prizes will be given for the best calico dresses.

The Melody Boys will furnish the music. The price of admission is 50c a couple. The U. F. W. A. generally put up a lunch fit for a king, and Friday night will be no exception. Don't miss it.

Spelling Match at East Community, March 24th.

The annual spelling match, at which the following schools will compete, namely: Floral, Elba, Tany-Bryn, Onell, Meadowsdale and Rodney, will be held in the East Community Hall on Friday afternoon, March 24th at 2 p. m.

Suitable prizes will be given the winners. Lunch will be provided. The public are invited and there is no charge.

Court Whist Drive Wed., March 22th.

The Crossfield Branch of the Canadian Legion are holding a Court Whist Drive in the dining room of the Oliver Hotel on Wednesday, March 22nd at 8 o'clock.

Good prizes. Admission 25c, lunch included.

Local News

The Crossfield Baptist Church have purchased a site on the north end of the Calhoun property and will commence building next week if weather conditions permit.

Constable Jarman, who is convalescing following his recent illness, will be transferred to Calgary and will be leaving here in the near future.

Evert and Orvil Bills have leased 21-2 sections of land from the Treca estate. This place has been farmed for the past three years by Ott Bros.

Mrs. M. English was a weekend visitor in Calgary.

Mrs. Mel. Reid of Calgary is the guest of Mrs. S. Willis.

We hear that Bert Mobbs has rented a shop on the North Hill, Calgary, and will be opening up a butcher business there shortly.

Mrs. H. R. Fitzpatrick returned on Saturday morning from Crysler, Ont., where she has been visiting her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Meldrum, for the past three months.

The Bush Baseball League will open on May 14th. Madden, Dog Pound, Cremona, Water Valley, Bottrel and Atkins, will fight it out for the pennant this year. The schedule is now being drawn up and will be published later.

Business Tax Reduced Arrears Must Be Paid

The first meeting of the Village Council was held in the Town Hall on March 13th.

The Returning Officer reported the re-election of Mr. J. M. Williams for a three year term.

The Council was then called to order and nominations were asked for the position of Mayor for the year, and Mr. Williams was elected unanimously.

After some discussion it was moved by Councillor Amussen that the secretary be instructed to write to all those in arrears of their business tax to have them paid immediately, and also the first six months of the current year, and if they neglect in doing so, further proceedings will be taken at once to collect same.

It was then moved by Councillor Nichol that the business tax for the current year be reduced. Carried.

Mayor Williams moved that the John Deere Co. be written to advising them that unless taxes are paid within 24 hours, seizure will be made on property.

The cemetery next came up for discussion and Councillor Amussen moved that the Council advertise for tenders for one year for the upkeep and digging of graves in the cemetery.

It was moved by the Mayor that a special meeting be held on Monday, March 20th.

POLICE COURT

Constable Waring of the Calgary Detachment R.C.M.P. laid an information against Mrs. Lillian G. Edwards of Airdrie, for unlawfully operating a motor vehicle without being registered for the current year, she appeared before the local J. P. on Wednesday, March 15th and pleaded guilty. Fined \$5.00 and costs.

Jake Ott appeared before the bench at Irricana the first of the week, and was fined for driving a motor vehicle without having this year's license plates.

Shower for Recent Bride

Mrs. M. English and Mrs. Wm. Wood entertained at a shower and court whist party at the home of the former on Thursday evening last, in honor of Mrs. J. E. English, formerly Miss Leona Jones. Many useful and beautiful gifts were presented to the guest of honor. Prizes at cards were won by Mrs. W. H. Miller and Mrs. C. C. Smart. A dainty lunch was served by the hostesses.

United Church Meeting

A special meeting of the congregation of the United Church was held in the church on Wednesday evening last. Revs. Dr. Powell, A. J. Mitchell and E. E. Rogers were present as delegates from the Red Deer Presbytery to discuss the calling of another minister when Rev. Young leaves at the end of June.

The financial side was also discussed, and after considerable discussion it was agreed to make a thorough canvass of members and friends to try to raise funds in order to wipe off the deficit on Rev. Young's salary. The canvass has already begun and willing response has been met so far.

The dance in East Community hall on Friday last, under the auspices of the Crossfield Hockey Club was attended by a fair crowd. The music by a Calgary orchestra was not so hot. The quilt raffled off by the Club was won by Mrs. Fred Pullan of Calgary, who held the lucky ticket, no. 7.

The Womens' Guild are holding a sale of fancy work and home cooking at the home of Mrs. Moskop on Saturday, April 22. Tea will be served from 3 to 6.

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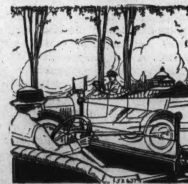
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Primary Cause of Depression.

A recent address by Professor Gilbert E. Jackson, of the Department of Economics of the University of Toronto, delivered before the Empire Club of Toronto, has attracted wide attention throughout Canada, and has been widely quoted in the floor of Parliament, and has been made the text of countless newspaper articles. Yet it dealt with a very simple subject, a subject as old as the human race—selfishness.

Thousands of sermons have been preached on this subject, books and dramas without number have been written with selfishness as the central theme, the law courts have been filled with cases arising out of selfishness, and sorrow and trouble of all kinds have sprung from it all down through the ages. Nevertheless, Professor Jackson's address commands an immediate and large audience today because he deals with the all-prevailing world depression as having its basic cause in just this one thing—selfishness. And who is there who will say he is wrong?

Professor Jackson is an economist. He deals with cold facts and still colder figures. He is concerned with the actualities of life, with things material to our human well-being. But when he has analysed all the factors, and sifted all the facts, and studied all the evidence pro and con relative to this world economic depression, he is forced to the conclusion that the basic trouble is, after all, not some man-made institution or system like banking or tariffs, that it is not over-production or under-production, but a condition of mind and heart of the average individual—his selfishness, avarice and greed, of which all these other things are but the natural and inevitable outcome.

So, professor Jackson stressed the point that economic betterment must come primarily from a change of heart in the individual rather than merely by tricks of economic readjustment; from proposals that go deep into the heart of man and begin with his own conscience. "Looking back on the past four years I wonder," he said, "that the realization of these things has not brought forth a new religious movement."

It is not a new religious movement that is called for or necessary, but action based upon acceptance of the fundamentals of Christian religion. The sermon on the Mount contains the whole and complete formula for the cure of the present depression, and the prevention of any depression in the future. It is not the formula of Capitalism, nor Socialism, nor Communism. It is the formula of the Golden Rule, acceptance and application of the principle of doing unto others as we would that others should do unto us.

What are these tariff barriers erected by all nations but an outward expression of the narrow nationalistic sentiments of individuals, and narrow nationalism is the outcome of the selfishness and greed of individuals. Tariffs are erected for the openly avowed purpose of selfishly promoting our own individual and national interests at the expense of loss and suffering for other individuals and nations. Selfishness and greed is the misnaming of such actions.

And what is true of tariffs as an instrument of economic warfare between nations, applies with equal truth and force to scores of other man-made and man-made methods, schemes and systems, conceived in selfishness, first of the individual, and through the individual or the community, the nation, and the world. And the selfishness and greed of the individual is merely more openly expressed and multiplied when it takes the form of the selfishness of classes, communities and nations.

At the present time it is considered the popular thing to denounce the so-called "vested interests" as the embodiment of all the selfishness and greed in the world, and to declare because one class acts from these undesirable and evil motives, other classes should unite in order to act from exactly the same motives. Two wrongs do not and never did make a right, and the swing of the pendulum from one wrong to another wrong will remedy nothing, but only provide still more trouble, further greed, a greater growth of selfishness.

Those who today control finance and industry under the prevailing system have much to account for. They have been greedy and selfish. They must and will be made to mend their ways, even if their hearts and desires remain unchanged. But the remedial method to be employed to that end is not to meet greed with greed, to oppose selfishness with more selfishness, to organize one set of interests to wage war on another and opposing set of interests. All greed and selfishness does not arise from greed for wealth or property. There is the greed for position, for power, for domination, for honors, for social distinction, for something, almost anything, the other fellow has and we have not. And how few individuals striving for these things are animated solely by a desire to possess and use them unselfishly for the benefit of others?

Professor Jackson is right, unquestionably so, when he declares that economic betterment must come primarily from a change of heart in the individual, and that word "individual" is all inclusive; it means the banker, the mortgage and loan executive, the railway head, the politician, the manufacturer, the merchant, the farmer—all of these, but it also includes the clerk, the artisan, the farm hand, the laborer. Mankind is in one lifeboat in the storm of this depression. They must pull together on the oars in unison, not at cross purposes. It is a case of one for all and all for one.

To change the metaphor, this is a time for building up, not tearing down. It is a time to sink all selfishness for the common good. The man in debt must receive generous treatment and ample assistance at the hands of his creditors; equally so the creditor is entitled to and must receive proper recognition of his rights by the man who is indebted to him. The employer must make sacrifices in the interests of his employees; the employees must do likewise to help their employer.

In this economic crisis there is need for a great revival of that spirit of sacrifice and service generated by the crisis of the Great War, the subordination of self in a complete readiness to assist one another in meeting and solving their problems in the unselfish spirit of the Golden Rule.

There are 250 labor unions among British government employees, some having only six members.

An almshouse for the London-India air line is built at Haifa, Palestine.

Imports from the United States into Greece are much larger than in 1931.

The first Jewish school in the Irish Free State is being built in Dublin.

Palpitation of the Heart Nerves Bad—Could Not Sleep

Mrs. Fred Bingham, Swift Current, Sask., writes:—"I was bothered with palpitation of the heart, and my nerves were so bad I could not sleep."

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For World Recovery

Address By Hon. H. W. Rowell Indicates Steps Needed To Be Taken

"It is clear that certain fundamental conditions must be complied with before world recovery can be said to be in sight," Mr. Rowell said. "First, the question of intergovernmental war debts and reparations must be finally and satisfactorily settled. Secondly, a solution of the disarmament problem must be found which is acceptable to both France and Germany as well as the other powers, and which will materially reduce the burden of taxation now resting upon the nations for the maintenance of armaments, and, above all, the suspicion and distrust which huge armaments engender. Thirdly, there must be an abandonment of the extreme economic nationalism which has characterized most countries of the world since the World War, and a return to sane and more normal conditions of trade."

"Tariffs must be reduced, restrictions on exchange must be modified, and the obstructions to the channels of international trade must be removed. Fourthly, some understanding must be arrived at among the nations of the world as to a common medium of currency and exchange, and if that common medium is to be gold there must be an international understanding which will, in a measure, restore the balance among the nations and prevent a repetition of the situation which has so interfered with international trade during the last few years."

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"I feel I should share with you a wonderful compliment I had on my new rag rugs," writes an appreciative Three Rivers woman. "A wealthy lady from the City of Quebec was visiting here and saw the rag rugs I had just finished. She was so enthusiastic—said she had never seen such artistic ones, with such rich, lovely colors. She asked me if I bought new materials to get such beautiful color effects. When I told her I had dyed my old scraps with Diamond Dyes, she simply couldn't believe it. Of course I'm very proud of my rugs. Besides being beautiful colors, they are fast and washable." In the popular new art of rug making women are doing against the odds. The value of Diamond Dyes for permanent dark colors by boiling. No other dyes make old materials look so new and rich in color, because no other dyes contain so much of the finest staining colors. For light, dainty shades without boiling or for lingerie, summer blouses and dresses, use the wonderful new Diamond Tint. All drug stores have both Diamond Dyes and Diamond Tint.

Ontario Maples For West

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Transplanted from their native earth, stately Ontario maples will in future grace Winnipeg's streets and avenues where a consignment of maple seedlings and seeds received there attain full growth. Other western Canadian cities also will be beautified in a like manner.

Formerly of many such shipments, a large consignment of seedlings has been received from the Thunder Bay region of Ontario and will be distributed throughout the west.

Officials of the department of agriculture state thousands of trees can be transplanted to the prairies at little cost.

No Argument

The Court was trying a case which had arisen out of a car accident.

"You say you were half scared to death," counsel for the defence. "I know very well I was," said the victim, with warmth.

"Then," said counsel coldly, "how do you know it was a motor car, or something resembling a motor car, that hit you?"

The victim looked square at him. "It resembled one all right," he replied. "I was forcibly struck by the resemblance."

Population Is Dense

Cochin, a state of British India, now has an average of 814 persons to the square mile, thus making it the most densely populated area in the world. The Canadian figure is less than three and on the Cochin basis there would be 3,086,220,000 people in this land.

The general industrial production index in Germany has risen from 52.5 to 65 since last summer.



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Visions of Halifax as an important empire airport were described by Prof. F. E. Plummer, who is scouting for the Union of South Africa government, visiting different countries, studying air policies and gathering data.

Prof. Plummer, who is professor of geography in the University of Pretoria, has spent three months studying conditions in United States and Canada. He stopped on his way to Liverpool, England, and visited the Halifax airport. He told Don Saunders, manager of the port, that he was greatly impressed with the activity of Halifax Air Club.

"Halifax is strategically situated for development as a great flying centre," he said, and with the development that is bound to come in the next few years, which includes putting into effect a ship-to-shore air mail service and the establishment of cross-country air routes, Halifax ought to become an important empire airport."

Supplies From Britain

Imports Of New Products From The United Kingdom

Outstanding characteristic of the imports into Canada from the United Kingdom during the first nine months of the present fiscal year was the increase in many raw products that are to be finished in this country or to play some part in manufacture, said Hon. H. H. Stevens in a statement issued regarding trade with the United Kingdom.

"It is encouraging," said the minister of trade and commerce, "to note the diversity of these increasing demands for supplies from Great Britain."

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Made Study Of Criminals

Japanese Prison Official Says Worst Type Are Generally Bald

The worst type of habitual criminal is generally bald, according to Dr. Kinzo Saka, of the Fukuoka Prison, Tokyo, who has just completed an extensive study of 1,521 criminals occupying 10 years. In the course of that work he found nine typical habitual criminals. They had from 16 to 29 criminal convictions, and had spent from 26 to 30 years in prison. They were all bald.

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Cannot Issue Special Coins

Government Has Refused Request By City Of Toronto

In these days of discussion regarding stamp bills, fiat money and other methods of ridding Canada of its share of the depression, it is interesting to note that the issue of money in any form for special purposes is contrary to all British practice. Not but the king may benefit by the issue of coinage.

Some time ago it was suggested to Ottawa that the Canadian government authorize a special issue of 50-cent pieces in order that Toronto might facilitate the financing of the 1934 centennial celebration. It was estimated that a substantial profit might be realized in selling these at a premium over the counter to souvenir hunters and coin collectors. Mayor Stewart asked, of course, for a monopoly on the sale for the city of Toronto.

However, His Majesty's government, through Ottawa, has ruled that important as the occasion may be, such a precedent cannot be established in the case of Toronto, according to a report made to the centennial committee.

France Has Largest Gun

Throws One-and Half Ton Shell Over Eleven Miles

Just to add spice to the disarmament discussions, it is announced that France has built the largest gun in the world. It is a 52-centimeter howitzer. That is a 20.4-inch calibre and is larger than the 18-inch naval piece which was built by Britain during the war and mounted on H.M.S. Furious and the monitor Lord Clive. Britain had discussed building a gun of 20-inch calibre, but it was never manufactured.

The new howitzer of the French can throw a shell weighing 3,680 pounds a distance of 11½ miles. When you think of projecting a chunk of metal weighing more than 1½ tons through the air to drop on a building or some other target, the imagination is stretched to contemplate the possible damage from the explosion. The gun is carried on a railway mounting 98 feet long and weighing 265 tons.

More Fire Protection

Travellers Ask For Better Inspection Of Hotels In Saskatchewan

Pointing to the need for adequate inspection of Saskatchewan hotels to afford guests protection against fire hazards, members of the Associated Canadian Travellers at their monthly luncheon in Saskatoon recently, declared themselves unanimously in favor of government action leading to the enforcement of existing regulations providing for fire escapes. It was the opinion of speakers that travellers, who were the largest class of country hotel users, were the proper individuals to request government action. The recent Tisdale tragedy was cited to show the dangers of hotels lacking fire escape equipment.

Meaning Of "Gentile"

The word "gentile," actually means an alien, an outsider. It was applied by the Jews to any one not of the Jewish faith. The early Christians applied the term to one either Jewish or non-Christian. The Romans applied it as a civil distinction to all who were not Roman citizens.

Improvement of the harbor at Haifa, Palestine is to be completed soon.

Linking National Parks

Highway Between Banff and Jasper Is Nearing Completion

Two of the largest and most attractive of the National Parks of Canada—Jasper National Park and Banff National Park, both in the province of Alberta, the former in Northern Alberta, with an area of 4,200 square miles, the latter on the east slope of the Rocky Mountains, 2,885 square miles in area—will soon be linked by a 150-mile highway. When completed this highway will pass through the very heart of some of the most impressive scenery in the Rockies. The highway is being constructed by the National Parks Branch of the Canadian Government which has administration over these and other national parks.

Since the establishment of the national parks over 500 miles of standard gravel highway has been constructed, linking the parks with the main arteries of motor travel and opening up the outstanding beauty spots of these vast playgrounds.

Radium Worker Dead

Second One Of Five Facing Slow Death By Poisoning

Miss Katharine Schaub, one of the five women who brought suit against the United States Radium Corporation of Orange in 1928, claiming their death was merely a matter of a few years as a result of radium poisoning, died in Mountain View Rest. She is the second of the five to die.

Dr. Harrison S. Matfield, chief medical examiner of Essex County, performed an autopsy and announced the cause of death as carcinoma of the left thigh, a disease directly attributable, he said, to the radium poison. The five women brought suit for \$250,000 each and won awards of \$10,000, free medical care and annuities of \$400. They were poisoned, it was held by Dr. Matfield, who wrote extensively on the subject at the time, by tipping with their tongues the points of brushes used to paint the dials of watches.

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High Commissioner's Office In London Sends a Warning Note About Cattle Export Trade

Too much importance cannot be placed upon the suggestions made in the following paragraphs from a report based on a thorough investigation by the High Commissioner's office of the situation in respect to our export cattle trade. A note of warning which we cannot afford to ignore is quite apparent in these paragraphs, which should be placed before every person interested in avoiding any action which might tend to jeopardize the development of our export cattle trade in Great Britain.

"It is now generally recognized that there has been an improved selection of steers for the export trade in recent years, and their popularity here has spread accordingly. Dealers and buyers are peculiarly sensitive to disappointment when the standard of excellence drops in any one shipment. The burden of returning a reasonably good price for common sorts of livestock imposes a difficult task on salesmanship, and consignees appreciate the adverse effect business of unfavourable price returns. Constantly they are telling the shippers what the trade wants and urging them, diplomatically, to choose export cattle carefully for type, weight, age and conformation. But the shippers, being rather more diversified, lends itself more readily to harassing experiences than does the trade in steers.

"Our healthy heifers and cows have been talked of and written about frequently. There has been created an atmosphere of hopeful expectancy. The value of goodwill is an additional consideration. Its place in the respective sections of the British trade ranks high, and this fact should be weighed carefully by the Canadian shippers.

"It is not possible to forecast whether or not cows and heifers, suitable for breeding and dairy purposes, can be selected and shipped to advantage. That will be determined only by trial and experience. Starving the trade demand for suitable stock is the more preferable and prudent policy; over-feeding it with common sorts, especially at the outset, will stunt, and may even damage, a promising potential trade.

"She-stock imported in Canada for breeding or dairy purposes in Great Britain, and lacking the characteristics fitting to the ideas and needs of the people specialising in these particular activities, will not find buyers, except at uneconomic prices. Experience of this sort will give, in addition to uneconomic prices, a wrong impression in Great Britain of the value and usefulness of our she-stock, a condition that will cost the producers and shippers considerable money, and one that will be difficult to correct. The same thing applies to our steers going into new areas.

"Such a result, if it were possible to forecast, should not be risked or permitted. Even extreme precautions to safeguard the new trade, and the new opportunity, could be justified. Furthermore, I misjudge the trade here if they would not support concentrated action, at the outset, to attain this desirable objective.

"For the general guidance of shippers who are considering the possibilities of serving the dairy industry with either heifers or springer cows, freshening three or four weeks after landing, the great majority of the dairy farmers prefer a good size animal, which, of course, should possess milking qualities and conformation. The breeds most favored are cross Shorthorns or crosses out of Holstein and Ayrshire by a Shorthorn bull. Pure bred Ayrshires or Holsteins are not favoured unless they are of the top class. The dairy Shorthorn type and size is what dairymen have in mind.

"One dealer suggests that: 'Shippers should give the fullest information as to probable dates of calving; what kind of sire produces the calf; and what age the cow is—whether first, second or third calf. We would recommend cows about four to five years old, carrying second or third calf. First calf cows would not sell as well, owing to the prospect of smaller milk volume during first calf period.'

"The first choice in Scotland, for heifers for best breeding purposes is well bred Angus or their crosses. Shorthorns are crossed. Herefords are not popular. In England, the Hereford takes a better place.

"Realizing and sustaining profitable results in building our cattle business will depend very largely upon the direction and conduct of the

initial efforts in the new field of markets."

Common sense should convince us that the points made in the above paragraphs are well taken, and that all concerned would do well to exercise every reasonable precaution in respect to volume and quality of cattle exported to the United Kingdom. If, however, further proof is necessary, nothing could be more appropriate than the following statement from a letter dated February 17th from the Animal Products Trade Commissioner in London to the Dominion Live Stock Branch, Ottawa, in respect to a recent shipment sold at Birkenhead.

"The cows, whether or not they were intended for slaughter or milking, were unsuitable for either purpose. None of the buyers was interested to the extent of tendering a bid. Usually what happens with the sale of such animals is that they are left with the consignee until he comes to realize that the costs to the shipper for holding the cattle are accumulating out of proportion to the chances of getting a satisfactory price; consequently, in his interests, the sale is concluded mostly at the buyer's figure, and for the very good reason that, although they are unsuitable for the meat trade, there is, nevertheless, no alternative outlet."

Adding conviction to conviction, we can do nothing better, in concluding this statement, than quote from a letter received from one who has, for more than a quarter of a century, been active in the United Kingdom market.

"You may advise any inquirers that rough cattle are not wanted, and it would be very foolish to put the cost of shipping on common cattle. It costs just as much to ship and sell a bad one as a good one. England wants only well bred cattle in good condition."

Learning To Fly

Mexican Tree Frog Can Drop Slowly From Great Heights

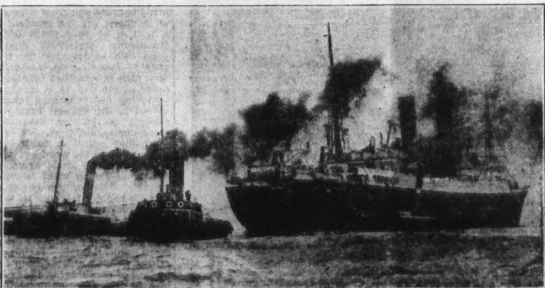
A Mexican tree frog that appears to be learning to fly is described by Dr. Remington Kellogg, of the United States National Museum. This frog, he says, has elongated hind legs well adapted to jumping, and has been known to leap and alight without injury a height of 140 feet. Dr. Kellogg has conducted a number of experiments to test its powers of flight. When he dropped one from a high water tower he said it immediately spread out its limbs and sailed down slowly at an angle, landing uninjured about ninety feet away from the base of the tower. There appeared to be no further acceleration after the frog had fallen about twelve feet, he said. At other times, Dr. Kellogg has tried throwing these frogs into the air. Each time he did so, he said, they always managed by violent struggling to get into a balanced position and glide to the ground uninjured.

Larger Than Big Ben

Far-famed "Big Ben" has been eclipsed in size by two other clocks in London. First an oil company erected on an office building surpassing "Big Ben" in size, and now a company manufacturing medicines has put up a still larger one over Trafalgar Square.

Americans purchase \$30,000,000 worth of fraudulent stocks each week.

WIND AND STORM SWEEP LINER ON TO SANBANK



Above we see the trans-Atlantic liner "Montrose" being pulled off a sandbank on Anker Spit, near Liverpool, after all the passengers had been rescued and taken to Liverpool. The "Montrose" for more than two days was stuck by wind and storm, with only one hour from her destination when the high wind proved too much for her and she was forced high and dry on the treacherous sandbank. Fortunately no damage was done to the liner and the passengers suffered very little inconvenience.

Plenty Of Reading Matter

Convicts in Canadian Prisons Supplied Books and Periodicals. Whatever he may lack in the apportionment of life, the convict in a Canadian penitentiary need not go without his reading. A bulletin of the Dominion Bureau of Statistics makes this plain. In our seven penitentiaries, at the time this survey was made, were 3,748 convicts, and in the seven libraries were 48,342 volumes, to say nothing of an average of 54 periodicals. The expenditure per prisoner for books and periodicals was \$1.04 in 1931.

The largest library is in Kingston, where 13,463 volumes are at the disposal of Col. Megginhill's "guests," or 24 per person. The smallest is at New Westminster, B.C., where the average is but four books per prisoner. On the other hand Dorchester, N. B., leads all with 84 periodicals, and at Collin's Bay where, according to some critics, preferred convicts live softly in great comfort, periodicals number but 24, and there are only seven books per man.

These statistics are interesting, but they leave the best part of the story untold. One should like to know the extent to which prison libraries are used by convicts, the sort of reading done in the penitentiaries. Is fiction the favorite, and what type of fiction? Is there much serious and sustained effort at mental improvement through technical and instructive works? Do prisoners fancy the detective story? Do they prefer romance with a happy ending?

Probably their tastes are about the same as those of any equal group of men outside the walls.—Ottawa Journal.

Novel Device For Students

Signal Censures Tardy and Welcomes Punctual Ones At Lectures

A novel device for welcoming students to lectures and censuring tardy ones has been introduced by Dr. G. M. Stuart of the department of physics, University of British Columbia.

A "welcome" sign, vividly outlined in green neon, greets each entry to the lecture room; and an automatic counting machine registers his attendance. Late-comers, however, are reminded of the fact by the ringing of bells and the sign "Late again!" The signal changes are controlled by the professor behind his desk.

A beam of invisible ultra violet light, which is cut by each student as he enters the room in the hands of the invention. The effect of the interrupted beam of light on a photo-electric cell causes the ringing of bells and the counting of each entrant.

Sense Of Humor Left

And Most Western Farmers Still Possess Their Optimism

The National Revenue Review gives the following as the answer made by a prairie farmer to an income tax inspector who enquired about his income over a period of years:

"You asked about my crops for the last five years; well, I'll tell you. In 1924 I was dried out; in 1925 I was hauled out; in 1926 I was frozen out, and in 1928 I just walked out, and I'm still out."

Notwithstanding it all, this farmer seems to have retained his sense of humor and, as he is a westerner, we are also willing to stake that he continues to possess an abundant stock of optimism.—Brookville Recorder and Times.

Soap should never be used on white silk. It should be dissolved in water before laundering is begun.

Chinese Women Going Through For Medicine

Large Percentage Of Students Eager To Become Doctors

Dr. Josephine Carrier Lawrey, of Shanghai, was the only woman doctor elected to fellowship in the American College of Physicians last year. She is dean of the hospital of the Women's Christian Medical College in Shanghai and all her staff are Chinese. She trains young men and women as doctors and nurses and oversees a hospital of more than 200 beds.

Interviewed at Montreal when attending the annual clinical session of the American College of Physicians Dr. Lawrey said: "It is interesting to know that more than 19 per cent. of Chinese women students at colleges in China are going through for medicine in comparison to four per cent. of women students in American colleges. Chinese women are marvelous students, far more eager to learn than their western sisters."

"In their country traditionally a scholar tries very high and as the background of Chinese life is philosophy they are intrigued and interested in science, which is completely new to them. They acquire the English language so they may study. They retain Chinese dress as more becoming. They take up medicine because it is so much needed. A Chinese girl student or doctor is on the whole, a very good person. Her learning makes her his equal."

Dr. Lawrey will spend one year on this continent to learn the latest discoveries in medicine and then will return to the east.

Lack Of Phosphorus Causes Tooth Decay

According To Results Of Experiments By Dr. Agnew

Tooth decay is primarily due to lack of phosphorus and vitamin "D" in the diet, according to the results of research made by Dr. R. Gordon Agnew of the West China Union University. Working with hundreds of laboratory animals, Dr. Agnew was able to produce tooth decay in practically all the cases by depriving them of these two food elements.

Eating sugar, candy, and other sweets, it was further indicated by these test diets, has no effect in itself in causing tooth decay, except that by satisfying the appetite too quickly it tends to keep down the intake of the foods which contain the elements which do make for sound tooth structure.

Dr. Agnew says that among the Tibetan tribes in particular, where tooth decay is especially infrequent, the eating of whole corn, an important article of their daily food, supplies them with adequate phosphorus while their diet of door life in the sunshine assures them of plenty of Vitamin "D."

Qualified For Entry

A very needy-looking old man presented himself at a hospital for cats and dogs, and asked to be taken in.

"You can't come in here," he was told.

"Oh, yes, I can," he protested. "I'm an old soldier."

"But, my good man, you can't. This is a veterinary hospital."

"That's right," answered the old man serenely. "I'm a veterinarian."

Of the 2,000 known kinds of germs and bacteria, only about 100 are believed to be harmful. The other 1,900 varieties are necessary to life in one manner or another.

Glasgow, Scotland, shipyards are receiving orders for freight steamers.

Northwest Company Operates Furthest North Petroleum Well In The Great Bear Lake District

Value Of Life Insurance

Interesting Statement Made By Hon. Charles A. Dunning

Hon. Charles A. Dunning, former Canadian finance minister, made an interesting statement with respect to life insurance in his annual address as president of the Ontario Equitable Life when he said: "Life insurance as an institution is at once the greatest debtor and the greatest creditor in Canada; the greatest Canadian debtor because its contracts to pay are larger in volume than any other in our national structure; the greatest Canadian creditor because it has accumulated in small amounts with respect to the five million lives insured over two and one-quarter billion dollars, which it has loaned to governments, municipalities, school districts, railways, utilities, industries, its own policyholders, and also on mortgage."—Toronto Star Weekly.

How To Eat Oysters

Prince Of Wales Receives Pointer From An Authority

"What is the proper way to eat oysters?" asked the Prince of Wales recently, when seven-year-old oysters fresh from their native beds, were laid before him, at an oyster farm, "should you take vinegar or red pepper, or both," he asked. The manager replied: "Never, sir, the best way is to 'eat them clean.' When you got the true seawater flavor."



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Sometimes what seems a prosaic business transaction has behind it a world of romance and high adventure. Such was the case when the Department of the Interior, early in 1932, received from the Northwest Company, Limited, a subsidiary of Imperial Oil Limited, a check for the amount of the first royalty payable to the Government on the production of the Company's petroleum well near Norman in the Northwest Territories, nine hundred odd miles, as the Canadian goose flies, north of Edmonton. That slip of paper contained only ten or a dozen words, but how much of faith vindicated and work accomplished it revealed.

In 1921 the Northwest Company struck a flow of petroleum, reputed at that time to be about at the rate of 100 barrels per day, in what is commonly called the Norman well, situated on the bank of the Mackenzie fifty-three miles below Norman. The well was completed in 1925 and as there was no immediate local use for the petroleum it was capped to prevent waste.

When it became clear that there was oil in commercial quantities half way down the Mackenzie between Great Slave Lake and the Arctic Ocean there was a lot of popular speculation as to what would be done about it. Common comments were that the oil was useless where it was and would never be brought to market. It was held that it would be out of the market until the southern wells went dry and even then the cost of freighting it up stream nine hundred miles or ten thousand miles to rail head, or pumping it up hill through a pipe line for the same distance, would be prohibitive.

Then came the aeroplane, and maps made from aerial photographs. Prospectors and their supplies were flown in from rail head in as many hours as it formerly took weeks, and were moved from location to location with equal speed. Steamboats and tractors, canoes and dogtrains were in use, too, but it was the aeroplane which carried the master key to the doors of the North.

The mineral deposits about the east end of Great Bear Lake were discovered, development began, and there was a demand for gasoline and fuel oil. Great Bear Lake empties into the Mackenzie River through Great Bear River, at the mouth of which latter Norman is situated. The Norman oil source in 1932 was, therefore, comparatively speaking, next door to its customers, who were transported (except one portage around a stretch of rapids in the Great Bear River) from the well to the east end of Great Bear Lake. The Northwest Company, which had brought in a small refining plant in 1921, opened this up in the spring of 1932 and supplied gasoline and fuel oil for running motors and Diesel engines in the mining camps. It was upon this production that the royalty was paid, and while the output so far has been relatively small this commercial use of northern oil is both a fulfillment of well grounded predictions of ten years ago and a promise of greater things to come.

Newsboys Are Quick

Can Tell Nationality Of Customers By Their Shoes

Americans occasionally when travelling in England like to be taken for Englishmen. One of this group, a Cleveland traveller, was in London, where he got himself a complete English outfit—suit, hat, linen, gloves, overcoat and cane.

Dressed in the outfit, he walked out to the steps of his hotel and stood there a moment contemplating the weather. Just then a newsboy, toward a block away, came dashing toward him crying.

"New York Herald—here ya're sir!"

It was a vendor of foreign newspapers in Paris who told the report of his skill in spotting the nationality of prospective customers. "I'm a shoe expert," he said.

Good Stories Being Spilled

Now it is the story of Dick Whittington that is being mangled by the "Debunkers." It appears Dick did not own a wonderful cat; that he was quite well off, was not obliged to leave home, and that consequently he never heard the call to turn back and be Lord Mayor of London. If this sorry business continues, none of the picturesque figures of an earlier day will be left.—Toronto Globe.

ing year. Some scrip schemes have more objectionable features than others. Great advantage will ensue if, instead of encouraging the "rush" and growth of a score of unrelated scrip issues, we firmly establish one plan which is economically sound and applicable to the whole West.

Some critics have suggested that an inherent danger of the Burnell Plan lies in the possibility of your "settling" "div" balances" and not

U. S. PRESIDENT HAS EXTENDED BANK HOLIDAY

Washington. — By proclamation, President Roosevelt extended the modified United States banking holiday indefinitely, exercising the powers conferred upon him by congress in emergency banking legislation which he had signed earlier.

The chief executive also proclaimed an extension of the embargo on gold.

All the provisions of the proclamation were continued in full force and effect. This meant also a renewal of the ban on hoarding.

The proclamation is to remain effective until ended by another proclamation.

"The national emergency still exists," read the decree, "and it is necessary to take further measures extending beyond March 9 in order to accomplish such purposes intended by the original proclamation of Sunday."

The president said, "All the terms and provisions of the March 6 proclamation and all regulations issued thereunder continue in full force and effect."

It is understood the purpose is to give the secretary of the treasury further time in which to administer the emergency banking law enacted recently by congress which would have permitted immediate reopening of sound banks.

Congress placed in President Roosevelt's hands the legislation he had asked to meet the United States banking emergency.

Final congressional approval came with passage by the senate after three hours' discussion which developed a bitter exchange between Senators Glass of Virginia, and Long of Louisiana. The latter contended the measure offered inadequate protection to small banks.

Earlier, the House had approved the measure with only 40 minutes debate, attesting the speed with which congress was functioning to meet the banking emergency.

The senate vote, by roll call, was 73 to seven. House action was unanimous.

Cut Hollywood Salaries

Motion Picture Producers Feel Financial Pinch

Hollywood, Cal.—Cessation of all activities at all motion picture studios in Hollywood was ordered early today by the Association of Motion Picture Producers unless drastic cuts in salaries and wages for an eight-week period, due to the banking situation, were taken by all employees and artists.

For salaries more than \$50 weekly, a cut of 50 per cent for the eight-week period would be made with a minimum salary of \$37.50 established. Those earning less than \$50 weekly would take a 25 per cent cut with a minimum of \$15 a week. The cuts would be retroactive starting March 6.

Must Pay Legal Costs

Halifax Lawyer Awarded Judgment Against Veregin

Halifax, N.S.—J. J. Power, K.C., Halifax lawyer who argued in supreme court on behalf of Peter Veregin, has been awarded a judgment for \$601 against the Doukborer leader. Costs of \$35 were added to the amount by Judge W. J. O'Hearn in his decision.

Shortly after Veregin was freed from the threat of deportation to Russia, litigation was opened on Mr. Power's bill.

It is understood a settlement of the account will be made with little delay.

Break Up Parade

Vancouver, B.C.—A parade of several hundred women and some men who planned a demonstration in front of the city hall, was broken up and the participants dispersed by police. One man, Gus Carstrom, was struck on the head by a police baton during the melee and was removed to hospital for treatment.

Purchasing Radio System

Ottawa, Ont.—The Canadian radio broadcasting commission will purchase the radio broadcasting system of the Canadian National Railways. It was understood the sale would consist of three stations, one in Vancouver, the others in Ottawa and Montreal, N.B.

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Board Of Censors

Plan To Form Joint Board in the West
Edmonton, Alberta.—Alberta is requested to join in forming a joint board of censors in the western provinces in a bill to amend the Theatres Act, introduced in the legislature by Premier J. B. Brownlee.

The proposal to create a joint board of censors for the west was made first in October, 1931, at an inter-provincial conference in Calgary. It was understood the plan was approved by all the provinces except British Columbia.

The proposal came up again at the interprovincial conference in Winnipeg this year and with introduction of such a bill in the Alberta legislature it is believed the prairie provinces plan to carry out the scheme. The bill also empowers the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council to require a proportion of the films shown in Alberta be of British manufacture.

Vote Against Fighting

Victoria College Students Oppose Taking Up Arms For Country

Toronto, Ont.—Men and women students at Victoria College, by a majority of six, voted "that this house will not, under any conditions, fight for its king and country."

About one-tenth of the 1,034 students registered at the college attended the debate. About half of these present were women. There were several unusual scenes. A white feather proffered by a girl student was enthusiastically accepted by young men attending. The League of Nations was termed "half-baked nationalism" and "ghastly failure." Pacifism was called "a damnable sin" by a co-ed.

Laws Should Be Uniform

Hon. R. J. Manion Advocates New Regulations For Truck Traffic

Ottawa, Ont.—Uniform regulations throughout Canada are needed for truck traffic in competition with railways, Hon. R. J. Manion declared in the House of Commons.

The railway minister intimated additional measures were being taken to make uniform the various regulations throughout Canada.

A questionnaire had been sent out, and when replies were received officials of the various provinces would probably be brought to Ottawa with a view to arriving at some equitable scheme of taxation and fixation of rates for the buses and trucks.

Consigned To The Sea

Four Hundred Gallons Of Pure Alcohol Dumped In Harbor At Coast

Victoria, B.C.—Four hundred gallons of pure alcohol, valued at approximately \$10,000 went into the sea here recently.

Officers of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, on instructions from authorities at Ottawa, poured that quantity into the waters of Esquimalt harbor.

The liquor was seized by the Mounted Police last summer on board the American-owned gasco launch "Advance," which was captured in the Gulf of Georgia on its way to the mainland.

Aids Empire Products

Schedule Introduced In Australia House To Reduce Duties

Canberra, Australia.—A schedule reducing substantially the duties on 51 commodities from empire exporters was introduced in the House by Lieut.-Col. T. W. White, Minister of Customs.

The bill represents the first instalment of application of articles from nine to 14 inclusive of the agreement of the imperial conference. The chief reductions included in the bill introduced recently are on wool, felt, fur goods, hats, socks, stockings, wire-logs goods and rabbit traps.

Wheat Prices In France

Paris, France.—The price of wheat would be increased about 10 cents per bushel by a bill approved by the cabinet in which the price would be stabilized at approximately \$1.25 per bushel. Inferior wheat would be taken off the market and used for feeding.

Want British Destroyers

Canberra, Australia.—Prime Minister Joseph Lyons announces the Australian government is negotiating with the United Kingdom for replacement of destroyers in the Australian squadron by four destroyers of the latest type from the British navy.

Report Not Confirmed

Ex-Kaiser May Have Abandoned Claim To German Throne

London, Eng.—Any prospects of former Kaiser Wilhelm II seeking to regain the throne of Imperial Germany as a result of recent events is stated to have vanished through the former sovereign's own act.

If the London Daily Mail's correspondent at Dorn, Holland, is accurately informed, Wilhelm Hohenzollern has completely and voluntarily abandoned the aim with which he has often been credited—of again yielding power over his own people.

Instead he is reported seeking permission to spend his declining years in the privacy of his castle at Homburg Vor Der Höhe, the famous mineral spring resort in Hesse-Nassau. He was 74 years old in January.

Any anxiety the ex-kaiser may have felt concerning the attitude of his sons toward his abandonment of claims to the throne were reported removed by a kind of confirmatory document of abdication. At a recent family council in Dorn, the sons were reported to have turned over all their "rights" to the throne to the ex-crown prince for his disposal.

Hit By Financial Crisis

Former Kaiser May Lose Money As Result Of U.S. Situation

London, Eng.—The former German Kaiser probably will be obliged to cut his household expenses as a result of the financial situation in the United States, the London Daily Mail's Dorn correspondent reported.

Wilhelm also was said by the reporter to be anxiously watching fluctuations of the Dutch florin, a fall in which would make him comparatively poor.

MARSHAL CHANG RESIGNS HIS POST AS COMMANDER

Peiping, China.—Thirty-five-year-old Marshal Chang Hsiao-Liang, who resigned as commander-in-chief of the Chinese army operating against the Japanese in the north, explained to the government he considered himself unfit to command.

His resignation climaxed a long period of criticism of his administration of the Chinese defence forces which, since September, 1931, have been almost steadily withdrawing before the Japanese. In a telegram to the Nanking government the young marshal said:

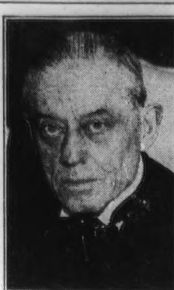
"After the loss of the three eastern provinces (comprising Manchuria), I tried my best to remedy my fault but the fall of Jehol convinced me I am unfit to keep command."

Chang succeeded his father, the late Marshal Shang Tso-Lin, as warlord of Manchuria in 1925.

Peiping, China.—The arrest and execution by the Chinese of General Tang Yu-Lin, who governed the province of Jehol until that territory was taken over by the Japanese, was reported here today.

A reliable source said General Tang had been seized at Hail-Engkow, a pass through the Great Wall. Troops of Marshal Chang Hsiao-Liang, who has just resigned as the principal North China military commander, made the arrest, it was said.

FIRST MATE BECOMES K.C.



The King has approved the appointment of Mr. Lewis Noad to be King's Counsel. Mr. Noad, in his youth, sailed on liners between London and the East and obtained his First Mate's certificate. Being ambitious to be a barrister, he has risen to be a successful junior counsel in the Admiralty Court and a Lloyds salvage arbitrator.

Political Disturbances

Foreign Correspondents in Germany Face Expulsion Measures

Berlin, Germany.—Five persons were killed and several injured in political disturbances in four German cities.

In Breslau, one Nazi was killed and five wounded when shots were fired from trade-union headquarters upon a group of 250 brown-shirted marchers.

Two Nazis were killed and six injured when a funeral procession in Dueseldorf was fired upon. In Wuppertal a Reichsbanner man was killed by unidentified assailants.

A Communist leader was found shot to death on a street in Duisburg, while a worker was seriously injured in his home by an unidentified person.

Foreign correspondents in Germany have been warned that expulsion measures are being prepared to apply to those who have "persistently misrepresented the internal situation."

Discuss Railway Problems

Diverse Opinions Heard In Ottawa Debate

Ottawa, Ont.—Joint operation of the Canadian National and Canadian Pacific Railways was termed the only lasting solution to transportation problems, by Dr. Peter McGibbon, Conservative, Muskoka, in the House of Commons.

From the other side of the House, Hon. Peter Heenan, former Liberal Minister of Labor, attacked the government legislation implementing the recommendations of the Duff commission on transportation on the ground it would establish exactly what Dr. McGibbon advocated—joint operation of the railways.

To Help British Farmers

London, Eng.—Major Walter Elliott, Minister of Agriculture, introduced in the House of Commons a bill designed to re-organize British agriculture and bring prices of British farm products to a remunerative level. It would empower the government to protect or enlarge markets by regulation of imports through quotas or other means from any food of overseas imports.

A HAPPY PICTURE WITH A SAD ENDING



Our photograph shows Lord Lovat in a happy mood at the Steeplechase meeting near Chipping Norton, just before his son, Simon Christopher, Master of Lovat (right), left him to ride in one of the races. When the young man returned after the race to speak to his father and mother (seen in the background) Lord Lovat sank to the ground and then died.

Approves Financial Move

London Daily Mail Thinks Canada's Intention Is "Wise Step"

London, Eng.—The Daily Mail, Conservative organ, described the alleged intention of the Canadian government to ask parliament for extraordinary powers in the matters of finance as a "very wise and timely step."

"There are many factors," it continued, "which must operate strongly in Canada's favor. Her banking system is free from most of the weaknesses which brought difficulties elsewhere. She has not a multitude of small mutually competitive banks but a close co-operation between 11 large banks under the Bankers' Association."

The Daily Mail refers to the report the government would ask parliament to invest it with all the powers conveyed under the "peace order and good government" clause of war-time legislation. This clause would give the government power to initiate practically any measure thought necessary to the welfare and stability of the Dominion.

Tribute To Cermak

Chicago Citizens Pay Respects To Slain Mayor

Chicago.—The body of Mayor Anton J. Cermak lay in the disheveled parlor of his home as Chicagoans went about their affairs at a slower tempo after according an impressive tribute to the man who rose from immigrant to mayor.

But one floral piece adorned the casket—a spray of lilies sent by President and Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt. The president, for whom the bullet that brought death to Chicago's chief executive was intended, was represented by a military aide, Lieut.-Col. Campbell B. Hodges.

From the time the train bearing the funeral cortege arrived until the casket disappeared behind the portals of the Cermak home, the citizenry observed a minute calm. The motorcade of official automobiles followed the hearse through the Loop district, past Mayor Cermak's workshop—the city hall—and to his home on the northwest side, numbered almost 100.

A MEASURE TO REPEAL THE BAN ON SWEEPSTAKES

Ottawa, Ont.—Sweepstakes for hospital and charitable purposes would be legalized in Canada if a bill introduced in the senate by Senator A. D. MacRae, of Vancouver, becomes law. It is the Vancouver senator's second attempt to repeal Canada's ban on this type of large scale gambling. He introduced a similar bill last year, but failed to get it through.

Public feeling was now in favor or regularized sweepstakes, Senator MacRae said. In Vancouver 73 per cent of the voters at a plebiscite had approved government controlled sweepstakes. The British Columbia Hospital Association had voted in favor of them and the Union of British Columbia Municipalities had endorsed the idea.

The object of the bill is to authorize the provinces to permit the conduct of sweepstakes in their territories, not by any group of citizens, but only by a committee authorized by the attorney-general, who would direct the scheme. The money would be devoted to the welfare of the sick, the destitute and the maimed.

The bill expressly forbids the advertising of a sweepstake outside the province which it is being conducted, and the appointment of agents for the sale of tickets outside the province.

Senator MacRae said in 1931, the Irish hospitals received from the three sweepstakes, more than \$2,000,000. In 1932, according to a cable he received recently from Ireland three sweepstakes had gross receipts of \$11,000,000. They gave away in prizes \$7,500,000 and the expenses were \$1,000,000.

As to the moral question involved, the churches in Ireland had voiced no disapproval of the holding of sweepstakes. After all church bazaars were the same thing on a small scale.

Senator MacRae outlined the serious situation of the hospitals and other charitable institutions in Canada. The Vancouver hospital for instance, owed \$270,000 to the bank and had no money to pay it. Other institutions were in like predicament. He closed with an urgent plea for the passage of his bill.

MAY DECIDE RAIL AMALGAMATION BY PLEBISCITE

Ottawa, Ont.—Canadian people at the next general election may have the opportunity to decide by plebiscite whether the Canadian National and Canadian Pacific Railways shall be amalgamated, Premier R. B. Bennett intimated today in the House of Commons.

Amalgamation was guarded against in the government's railway legislation based on the report of the Duff commission on transportation, the Prime Minister said.

But the Canadian National was a bankrupt enterprise, eating into the financial vitals of the country. The purpose of establishing a board of three trustees to manage the government road was to set up a recovery plan with wide and extraordinary powers in an effort to put it back on its feet.

"There is no thought of any trick to bring about something to which we have pledged ourselves not to do," said Mr. Bennett, referring to amalgamation. Conservatives and Liberals pounded their desks.

The large crowd in the gallery shuffled in their seats in mute applause. "There is no sinister design behind the amalgamation of these systems when parliament is opposed to it. In my opinion it would be impossible to bring about the amalgamation of these railways on any terms or conditions unless the people themselves had the opportunity to decide. I have given much thought to the point as to whether or not the honest and proper method to pursue is to afford an opportunity at the next general election by plebiscite for the people to determine whether or not they are desirous this should happen."

Shipping Bill Introduced

To Be Studied By Committee On Banking and Commerce

Ottawa, Ont.—One of the largest single pieces of legislation to come before parliament in years was introduced in the senate when Rt. Hon. Arthur Meighen, government leader, sponsored the new shipping bill.

Containing more than 900 sections the bill will consolidate and modernize Canadian shipping legislation and will take the place of the part of the Transport Act which now has effect in Canada.

Although Canadian-owned ships under the bill pass completely under the Canadian-made law the unity of the empire's mercantile marine fleet will be preserved. Canada's ships will be called "British ships of Canadian registry."

The bill was given first reading by the senate and will be studied by the committee on banking and commerce. Prior to the passing of the statute of Westminster, defining the complete legislative independence of the Dominions, Canadian ships outside Canadian territorial waters operated under laws enacted by the parliament of the United Kingdom.

May Reduce Number Of Police Magistrates

Alberta Has Lowered Appropriation As a Matter Of Economy

Edmonton, Alberta.—Estimates introduced in the Alberta legislature for the attorney-general's department show a reduction of \$13,758 compared to last year's figure and it is understood a reduction in the number of police magistrates in the province is planned by the government.

The appropriation for police magistrates dropped from \$69,205 to \$55,447. Attorney-General J. F. Lymburn said it might be necessary to place some magistrates "on a fee basis, or there may be a reduction in the number employed."

Ready To Leave League

Tokyo, Japan.—The cabinet approved and sent to the privy council the draft of a communique in which Japan is expected to notify the League of Nations about March 20 of her withdrawal from that international body.

Soviets Taking No Part

Moscow, Russia.—The Soviet government has refused to participate in the League of Nations consultative commission which is to deal with the China-Japanese conflict. The reason ascribed was the "hostility" of the major participants toward the Soviet administration.

Asia's Rural Population

Hardships Endured By Tillers of Soil Gradually Growing Worse

Rev. Dr. James Endicott wrote the following in a recent article in the New Outlook: In China there are about three hundred millions of farm folk—one-half of them married women and girls; that is, anywhere from seventy to eighty-five per cent. of China's population is rural. Africa, of course, is predominantly rural. It is, indeed, one vast rural area. In Japan there are some ten thousand farm villages with over five and one-half millions of farm homes. About seventy per cent. of the total population in Japan live and work in rural territory; this in spite of the fact of the enormous growth and development of city life in Japan during the last half century. India is primarily a land of small villages and tiny hamlets. According to the census of 1921 the total population of India, including all the Indian States and Burma, was a little over 318,000,000. Over 250,000,000 of these live in rural communities. In each of these countries the hardships endured are nothing short of tragic, and are steadily growing worse. In this conviction all competent investigators are as one. The tillers of the soil throughout Asia, perhaps beyond all others in the world, are receiving cumulatively smaller returns from their labor, are being taxed inordinately and are crushed almost beyond endurance under the growing weight of indebtedness. For hundreds of millions the condition is little better than serfdom.

Woman Dentist in North

Itinerant Worker Has Spent Four Years Treating Eskimos

The north's only itinerant dentist is a youthful-faced, silver-haired woman, Dr. Edna N. Tavel, who wanted to be a missionary after graduating from dentistry. She combined the two and is now one of the best known friends of the Eskimos.

Dr. Tavel travels constantly by aeroplane, dog team, boat and foot, from one government school to another, treating Eskimo children and grownups for bad teeth. She is an employee of the department of the interior with the government medical service.

"The natives are greatly in need of medical and dental care," Mrs. Tavel said. "Their unbalanced diet, combined with the rigorous climate and lack of dental hygiene have left their teeth in bad condition."

Dr. Tavel has spent four years in the north, many times battling storms and bad weather to aid the Eskimos. She has a son, Carlos, a student in the University of Washington.

History Of English Race

Winston Churchill Accepts \$100,000 From Publishers For Copyright

Winston Churchill, literary stylist, as well as statesman, has signed an agreement with Cassells to write a 400,000-word history of English-speaking people. It will take five years, and is his most ambitious literary undertaking to date. The publishers are paying \$100,000 for the copyright.

This is not the largest fee, including royalties, received by an author, but as a single payment in purchase of a work outright it ranks among the highest. Lord Macaulay, for example, received a like sum for volumes two and three of his famous History of England.

Statue Needs Cleaning

The grimy Nelson statue in Trafalgar Square, London, badly needs a bath. But the British Admiralty has no money for such luxuries. The statue has not been cleaned since 1919. The process costs about \$2,000. His coating of London grime is inches thick now, and steeplejacks eventually will have to dust him off with chisels.

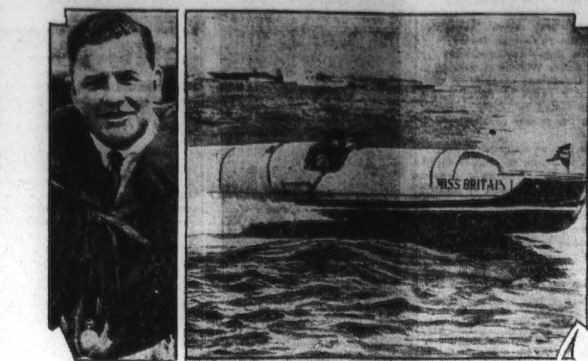
Monument To Apple Tree

A monument to an apple tree is to be erected at Eastwood, to commemorate the discovery of Australia's finest desert apple, the Granny Smith. Seventy-five years ago a widow, Granny Smith had a small apple orchard and there, from some discarded pit, grew the first Granny Smith apple tree. The tree and its offspring earned a fortune for the widow.

Gorillas often reach a height of six feet and have a reach of eight feet. Galway, Ireland, has dropped its fight against non-Irish games.

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THE LATEST BRITISH CHALLENGER FOR HARMSWORTH TROPHY



In another attempt to wrest speedboat supremacy from Gar Wood, the Royal Motor Yacht Club of England recently named Hubert Scott-Payne, well-known British boat designer and builder, as its entrant in the international race for the Harmsworth Trophy this year. The trophy, emblematic of the world's speedboat championship, is now held by Gar Wood, veteran racer of the United States. Above, Scott-Payne is shown in a close-up at left, and driving one of his power boats at right. The British challenger will use a specially-designed boat, Miss Britain III, in the Harmsworth race, which will be held in September.

Mail Chutes in Skyscrapers

Letters Travel Down At High Rate Of Speed

If you drop a small envelope containing one sheet of ordinary letter paper in the opening of the mail chute on the eightieth floor of the Empire State Building, New York, it will drop downward one thousand feet at an average speed of 13.6 feet per second, or nine miles per hour, arriving in the mailbox at the bottom of the chute in one minute and thirteen seconds. If you drop a large envelope with two sheets of paper, it will travel at a rate of twenty-one miles per hour and get to the bottom quicker. If you drop a large envelope containing five contract forms and one sheet of letter paper, it will drop at a rate of twenty-nine miles per hour and get there quicker still. If it's speed you want, you can get a little better action at the Chamin Building, where, although the distance is considerably less, a large envelope containing five contract forms and one sheet of letter paper will do approximately forty-three miles an hour. Galileo's law, that the speed of falling bodies increases with the distance traveled, does not apply to mail descending in a mail chute. There is no danger of a letter igniting or getting singed in a long descent, as some irresponsible writer once wrote. The reason is that the mail-chute people utilize a natural updraft-like that of a chimney, in their chutes to slow down falling mail. Thus the letters go down rather less surely and don't catch fire. At the bottom, they strike a smooth, curved bronze plate which slows them down gently and deflects them against a leather cushion hanging vertically. From this, they drop gently into the mailbox proper, unharmed.

Some Curious Cargoes

Strange Things Seen In Tour Of London's Dockland

Seen during a tour of London's dockland: Kangaroo tails from Australia and reindeer tongues from Canada—they are used for soup.

A ram's horn full of extract from the glands of Arabian cats. It is a London Zoo, and contains organisms particularly pleasing to tropical fish.

Twenty boxes of what look like oily bootlaces. There were vanilla "beans," from Seychelles, West Africa.

Gum bezel from Sumatra for lung troubles, dried rhubarb roots from China, shark oil from Yokohama, mushroom oil from Leningrad.

Educating Canada's Indian Wards

The Department of Indian Affairs reports that during the year 1931-32 there were 90 residential schools and 270 day schools in operation, a total of 350 centres of Indian educational activity in the Dominion. In the management of the residential schools, the Roman Catholic, Church of England, United, and Presbyterian churches co-operate with the Department.

The Vicar (appealing from the pulpit on behalf of the Christmas dinner fund)—"What we want, my friends, is not abstract sympathy, but concrete plum puddings."

British railways handled 140,000,000 parcel post packages last year.

Canadian Red Clover

Superiority Of Seed Has Been Proved In British Markets

Canadian Red Clover seed is well received in the British Market, where it has demonstrated its superiority to clovers from other countries. A leading Scottish seed firm, which pays particular attention to the securing and distribution of the best strains of clover crops describes Canadian Red Clover, which is offered as an early strain of Broad-leaved Red, as extremely hardy and invariably giving the best results in trials at the West of Scotland College. In the firm's catalogue is a striking illustration showing plots of various strains of clover grown for comparison. In this the growth and hardiness of the Canadian type is noticeably better than that of the English and remarkably superior to the Polish and Chilean varieties.

An Economy Measure

Alberta Government To Close Down Normal School In June

As an economy measure, the Alberta government will close the \$600,000 Normal school in Edmonton and the agricultural school at Vermilion at the end of June, according to an official announcement by Premier John Brownlee.

Normal school estimates introduced in the legislature provide \$10,425 to meet teachers' salaries until the end of June.

Present conditions, Mr. Brownlee said, make this step necessary. If there is any improvement shown when June arrives, the government may consider its decision.

Sugar Beet Production

The latest available returns for the complete production of sugar beets in Canada are those for 1931 when the harvest was 435,992 tons. The highest previous figure was 397,576 tons in 1930, and the next highest 370,047 tons in 1925. The total acreage for the Dominion in 1931 was 49,337 compared with 40,532 acres in 1930 and 34,803 in 1925.

The mushroom is very sensitive to changes of temperature and to moisture.

Rayon production in Italy last year was nearly equal to that of 1931.

The Term "Lynch Law"

Author Tells Of Episode From Which It Originated

In that very interesting volume entitled "In Search of Ireland," the author tells this story:

A very distinguished magistrate named Lynch in a certain part of Ireland many years ago, had a son who was a bit wit, as we would say today. This young man had as his guest for a time a young Spaniard about the same age, and they appeared to be enjoying life, until one day the young Irishman discovered that the visitor was cheating a little with his best girl, so impetuously he killed his guest and threw the body into the lake. The elder Lynch, being a magistrate with greater powers than our magistrates have, tried his son and condemned him to be hanged. No person could be found in the district to carry out the execution, so the father grudgingly did it himself. The writer says that the old man was so heart-broken that immediately after the execution of his son he retired to his own home and was never seen afterwards.

Thus from this episode came the term "Lynch law."

Was a Wealthy Knight

Father Of Dick Whittington Made Fortune As Silk Merchant

Who invented Dick Whittington's imaginary adventures is not known, but in the year 1805, generations after his death, a play which has long since been lost was licensed for performance. It was "The Histories of Richard Whittington; of his love byrth; his great fortune;" Dick, who was never Sir Richard, was the son of a wealthy knight of Gloucestershire and he married the daughter of a very rich Dorsetshire landowner. It may be nothing but a coincidence, but it is curious that Whittington—the father's—fortune was founded on the trade of a silk merchant and that he produced a material then known by the name of Act, popularly "Tabby." Is that where Dick's traditional cat came from?—Brandon Sun.

Many large office buildings are being constructed in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil.

A newspaper plant to be erected in England will cost \$1,250,000.

Oldest Regiment in World

Honorable Artillery Company Was Founded In 1537

Following the death of the Earl of Denbigh who commanded the Honorable Artillery Company of London, England, for forty years, Lord Galway, an ex-officer of the Life Guards, has been named his successor. A proud honor it is because the H.A.C., as it is known to Londoners, is the oldest regiment in the world.

It was founded in 1537 when Henry the Eighth granted a charter to the Guild of St. George to encourage the science of artillery. But artillery at that time simply meant bows and arrows and "handgonnes," whatever the hand guns of 1537 were like. Since 1641 the armories of the H.A.C. have stood in Bunhill Fields within the City of London, near the cemetery in which John Bunyan is buried. The then Prince of Wales, afterwards Charles the Second, joined it as an officer, and since then either the reigning King or Prince of Wales has been an officer in command of a company.

Although an artillery regiment it has also an infantry battalion, and membership requires that the applicant be "something in the city."

Many wealthy men serve as privates. During the World War it had a noble record. Altogether 12,947 men served in the H.A.C. How much it was in the thick of the fighting is gathered by the fact that of that number 5,961 were either killed, died of sickness or wounded. It won 236 decorations. Over 1000 were awarded the Victoria Cross. Over 4,000 men obtained commissions.—St. Thomas Times-Journal.

A Splendid Spirit

Saskatchewan Medics Prepared To Cut Bills For Rural Municipal Councils

The Saskatchewan Medical Association is prepared that bills owing its members by rural municipal councils for services rendered indigent sick should be cut in half. Here is a proposal suggestive of generosity and a willingness to share the common sacrifice.

The medical profession has been as hard hit as any other calling in this depression. There are as many sick as ever, and more and more, and they have to be attended to. But not a few doctors have almost been forced to the wall through inability to collect fees. They are as busy as ever, but there is little money in it. The decision communicated to the convention of the Saskatchewan Association of Rural Municipalities reflects a good spirit.—Regina Leader-Post.

Valuable Carpet Lost

Turkey Is Searching For Relic Valued At \$250,000

Turkish public opinion is busily engaged in guessing what has become of two of the most valuable relics of the past that Turkey possesses; the mantle belonging to the famous Arabic philosopher, Muvahhidin al Arabi, and a seven-hundred-year-old Eriduk carpet, probably the oldest extant. During the Great War both of them, as well as other precious objects, were withdrawn from the renowned Sadreddin Konevi library at Konya with a view to protecting them against theft. Later on they were sent to the Constantinople Evkay Museum, but it now appears that they never reached their destination. The carpet is said to have a commercial value of about \$250,000.

Book Printed On Tin

Filippo Tommaso Marinetti, author famed as the father of futurism, has tried something new—a book printed on tin. "Liberty," said the author, "is too sacred a word to be printed on paper. It demands a metallic elasticity." The pages are of very light, bendable white tin. The printing is in black. Illustrations are in brilliant tricolor.

Agricultural Ants

Farming is actually done by agricultural ants on a small scale. They cultivate patches of wild rice, keeping out weeds until the crop ripens. They then climb the stalks and carry the grains away to their underground granaries.

Government Aids Coal Industry

The government has paid approximately \$1,674,084 from 1928 up to the end of 1932 in connection with the movement of 2,082,195 tons of domestic coal from mines to markets in Canada.

Business In Portugal Has Greatly Improved

As a result of large 1932 crops.

Biscuit Is A French Word Which Signifies "Twice Cooked."

Gardening Notes

By Gordon Lindsay Smith

The first thing to go in and the first to be ready for the table are those of which the leaves are eaten; spinach, lettuce, cress and such things. Peas also go in with the earliest and radishes too. If we choose several types, early, medium and late, and sow two or three times, ten days apart, we can lengthen the season amazingly. Wherever possible, add something new, something never tried before and a few years you will have just as extensive and interesting a vegetable garden as of flowers. We must remember that quick growth means tender growth. A check caused through dry weather or lack of cultivation will turn our roots into tough, woody affairs. Get away from the idea that only three or four vegetables can be grown in Canada and that these should all be planted in one day. We can have a good garden from sowings made in April and we can also achieve wonderful results if for some reason or other we do not get anything in before the first of July, but save your seeds for sowing still by sowing a little of something every week from the time the soil first crumbles if sown in the hands in early spring, up until the last of September. Sow early, potatoes, peppers and fall salad material, the first week in July. Make several rows, cultivate frequently, water if possible when the drought is severe, apply one or two dressings of good commercial fertilizer, carefully and according to directions, and the few cents you put into each will come back in a continuous stream of good things.

For your convenience, the following list of vegetable varieties is recommended: Asparagus—Mary Washington; Beans—Pencil Blue; Broccoli—Ruffled Pod Kidney Wax; Stringbeans—Green Pod, with Kentucky Wonder and Kentucky Green Pod as pole sorts; Beets—Early Wonder, Copra, Egyptian and Detroit Dark Red; Cabbage—Golden Acre as a round-headed first early variety; Cauliflower—Copenhagen Market and Enkhuizen Glory as mid season; Cauliflower—Snowball and Golden Wonder as late sorts; Carrots—Chantenay, Danvers and Amsterdam Coreless; Corn—for earliest use, Golden Broom, for mid season, Golden Wonder, a standard yellow, and Stowell's Evergreen, a later high quality white; Cucumbers—Improved White Spine and Davis Fering; Celery—Golden Plume, Paris Golden Yellow or Easy Hanching; Lettuce—Grand Rapids is one of the most popular leaf sorts with New York or Iceberg, where a head type is wanted; Mushrooms—Crown, Miller's Cream, Golden Champlain or Eclair Early Knight; Onions—Yellow Globe and White Globe; Peas—Laxton's Progress, Thomas Laxton and Golden Wonder; Potatoes—White for early green use Dutch sets; Peas—Laxton's Progress, Thomas Laxton and Golden Wonder; Pumpkins—Hundredfold and American Wonder among the dwarfs; Radish—Scarlet Turnip and White Turnip; Spinach—Early Breakfast and Scarlet Globe for early use, and Iceberg for summer; Springing—Royal Standard; Turnips—which do not go to seed readily, and Blooded; Tomatoes—Burrans, John Bar, Bounty, Bush Cherry, Early Jewel and Livingstone's Globe are standard, and Grand Rapids and Sunrise for forcing.

The advice of friends and neighbors and a few notes from last year will prove a wonderful aid in buying out a flower garden. To these sources of assistance, we should also add a seed catalogue or two and perhaps a Government bulletin covering the subject in our particular neighborhood. In the catalogues you will find much special information, whether the flower is hardy or tender, when it blooms, its height and color and whether it is adapted to special purposes like growing in the sun or in the shade, whether it needs extra care in winter, and so on. In the case of bulbs and Alysiums are noted for fragrance and are often grown for this purpose. Long List of plants like Lilacs, Camellias and Forsythias are fine for edging, while others like Marigolds, Petunias and Asters will make a wonderful bed in themselves. We should plan our perennial and annual flower garden with continuance of bloom in mind so that we will have something in flower from the time of the Snowdrop in April until Cosmos, Dahlias and Snapdragons in the autumn.

Making Paper From Straw

Success Is Expected From Experiments Being Made At Calgary

In the near future straw will be used to make paper. Plans of pulp and rags, according to Arthur West, Calgary manufacturer. Only one ingredient for the manufacture of paper from straw is lacking. Mr. West says, but he believes the solution will be found through experiments now being made.

Straw stacks on the prairies will be in demand by paper manufacturers. Mr. West believes. Warning against waste in lumber yards, Mr. West urges a country-wide plan of reforestation—planting two trees where one is cut down.

A Nature Note

A scientist has just discovered that plants grow better if the day is prolonged with artificial light. Further investigations prove that the plant which profits most from this treatment is the electric-light plant says London Punch.

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CHAPTER VII.—Continued

In his cabin, with the steamer throbbing on toward Steel-2nd, Alan wondered what Joyce's reaction would be if he should go to her and frankly tell her about that tragic incident in his life which had brought about his engagement to Elizabeth. Joyce would understand his motive. She would no longer think he'd acted of his own free will. Perhaps if she knew this truth, she might allow him to resume their old intimacy. . . . But Elizabeth, what of her? She was waiting, waiting there at Exdurance, for him to marry her. In honor and faith he could not break away now. That secret and powerful circumstance still bound him and would bind him to her all his life.

A half-mile up in the fleecy clouds up above the pretty city of Edmonton, Mr. "Buzard" Featherfoot was dropping out toy parachutes carrying free cakes and printed matter of the E-Z Klean Soap and Washing Powder Company, Ltd.

He was tired, stiff, hungry and indescribably bored.

During the late war Buzard had

knocked an assorted number of Fokkers, Taubers and Albatrosses out of the air; had come down himself a couple of times rather precipitately; and once, commanding a five-plane circus, hand brought down a Super-Zeppelin in the Channel after it had dropped its "eggs" in cabbage patches around darkened London.

Since his return to Canada, Buzard had taken a fling at aerial map-making in British Columbia. He had worked a season with the Manitoba Fire Prevention as a "smoke hawk"; had bombed papier-mache French chateaux down amid the flowers and eliminate of Los Angeles.

Recently, tired of working for other folk, he had raked together some money and bought a machine of his own, which he now was flying.

It was a queer nameless contraption, this monoplane of his—an assemblage of piano wire, canvas, spruce and iron, held together by luck and Buzard's lardery at flying. It had originally been a White Speedair with "Jenny" engine, but he had redoped the fabric and put in a second-hand Whitehead and equipped it with third-hand under-gear of the float-wheel type, and overhauled it generally till little of the original machine remained. Only his warm friendship with the aviation inspector kept it from being junked. But somehow—and this is the rock-bottom test of any flying machine—it had never yet come down before Buzard wanted it to. And it did have speed; anything lacking speed would never have satisfied him. Such as it was, it was his very own; and no mother was ever prouder of a cross-eyed scraggle-toothed child than Buzard was of his White Speedair.

He was, however, ambitious to get a big new De Havilland, so that he could safely take up a girl down in Kamloops and carry her along with him on his airy path of life. But with no advertising or big company

to back him, Buzard had found this free-lance work to be tough sledding. Had found difficulty keeping up repairs on his old machine, let alone getting a new one. Jobs were scarce accidents. Except for the faint possibility of murdering some more grasshoppers over near High Hat, the work he was finishing this noon was the last thing in sight.

As he heaved overboard the last of the E-Z Klean Soap and printed matter, and headed back for the landing field, he yawned and swore:

"The devil with this peace-time stuff; Oh, Lord, I wish they'd bring on another unpleasantness."

It was in some such frame of mind, as he landed and crawled out of the cockpit, that he saw a tall lanky individual, in lace boots, khaki trousers, jacket and gray hat, get out of a waiting taxi and saunter toward him. The stranger, as he came up, looked at the machine with that peculiar respectful gaze of a person who has never flown in one.

Buzard thought, "If that fellow asks me to take him for a joy ride, I'll murder him with a monkey-wrench!" A moment later, as he got a closer look at that hard purrposive face, he decided: "No, he's not that kind. Looks like some timber duke. Maybe wants me to fly him out to his limit. Thirty-dollar job—dam-will!"

The stranger came on. "Hello," Buzard answered tartly, "Hello yourself."

The stranger paid no attention to the brusque reply. Instead he reached out his hand. It was a good-looking hand, big, calloused, fingers like iron bars.

"Name's Baker," he introduced himself. "Alan Baker."

Buzard partly thawed. This fellow Baker looked to be somebody. His slow smile was mighty fetching; his clear intelligent eyes were kindly, warm, friendly.

"Glad to know you, Baker. Mine's Featherfoot—James Arbutnot Featherfoot."

"Good gracious! All that? But what do people call you?"

They both grinned. "They call me 'Buzard.' Wear red helmet; never stop my wings."

"Buzard—that's more like it. I saw you sailing around up there when I got off the train. Made inquiries and hustled out here to the field. Was on my way down to Winnipeg. Expected I'd have to go down there, or maybe to Calgary, to find a machine and a pilot."

"Uh-huh."

Baker jerked his thumb at the plane—"Whose is that?"

"Looking at you. Belongs to me and myself. Unlimited. Bought it with cigarette coupons."



Baker Jerked His Thumb at the Plane—"Whose is That?"

Baker's face brightened a little, and now Buzard noticed that this hard-bitten man was deeply worried but was hiding his trouble and talking with a jest on his lips.

"So the machine belongs to you. Glad to hear that. Working on your own hook, I suppose? That's still better. Say, Featherfoot, how long are you booked up ahead?"

Buzard had found it good policy to lie. If he made out there was a crushing demand for his services, it impressed people and got him jobs—sometimes.

"Oh, about two months," he said carelessly. "All depends on how much flying weather I get."

Baker plucked a blade of grass and chewed it meditatively. Finally he asked: "Say, Featherfoot, you couldn't shake free for a couple or three weeks, could you? Get sick, or have to get married, or something like that?"

Buzard took thought as he baited an eye. A couple or three weeks. . . . Must be a good-sized job. . . . might pay well. . . . Oh d—n the pay! Always thinking of pay. Getting commercial. . . .

"I might," he answered. "Depends. What kind of flying do you want me to do? What for a job is it?"

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"That would take me some time to explain. I wouldn't want any man to tackle it without him understanding the whole thing, or then he might feel I'd dragged him into trouble."

Something in Baker's tone made Buzard look at him sharply. "Nothing like crook—out of the ordinary, is it?"

"It's all three, and then some."

Buzard bit his cigarette. "And then some! My eyes! Who're you declaring war on?"

"If you want to know who I am, I was in the Mounted. The O.G. here at Edmonton can tell you about me. And I can give you other references."

"You were in the Mounted?" Buzard frowned thoughtfully. "Baker the Mounted. . . . Say, haven't I heard or read somewhere . . . Are you that Sergeant Baker down north near the Arctic?"

Alan nodded.

"My eyes! I've read about some of your doings. You're on a detective trick or something like that, Baker?"

With expert judgment Alan had been sizing up his new acquaintance, down across his oil-spattered jumpers, to his "side-walk" shoes. He read the daredevilry in this Featherfoot. He was a man after Alan's own heart.

And he had a machine of his own! If only he'd get it, it would save precious days looking for a plane and pilot.

Alan said: "My story is a long one. You look as hungry as I feel. . . ."

"I am, Baker. Let's go eat and then talk."

Alan helped him pull a canvas over the machine. Together they stepped over to the taxi. As they rambled down town they swapped war yarns, discovered several mutual acquaintances and came down to "Alan" and "Buzard."

At the Chateau MacDonald Alan sent a telegram to Colonel Steele in Victoria. He wrote it swiftly, not daring to think twice of the fatal step.

Alan held out of mounted accepting your fine offer will you wire me five hundred as salary advance would be mighty grateful letter following with details.

"ALAN BAKER."

He and Buzard ate dinner; and then for a solid hour Alan talked.

He told of the Midnight Sun robbery, of the chase, flight, escape, of Dave MacMillan's trouble; of his resolve to help Joyce; of Joyce going bravely back to the lonely trading station; of his run-in with Haskell, his getting busted, his buying out of service, his thousand-mile trip to Edmonton.

"But just where do the old crate and me come in at?" Buzard asked.

To Be Continued.)

Low Price For Potatoes

U.S. Farmers Left Over Million Bushels In Fields Last Fall

Enough potatoes to have saved Ireland from its potato famine three-quarters of a century ago were left in the fields last fall by United States farmers, who found it didn't pay to harvest them. The Department of Agriculture estimated that 1,600,000 bushels were left in the field, mostly in Minnesota and North Dakota. It is said 220,000,000 bushels were harvested, of which nearly one-half had been sold on January 1.

Mr. Richman—"I have a Rembrandt, a Rubens, a Van Dyke, and a Few."

Miss Slowly—"Is that so? But what do you want with four cars?"

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Over-Production Of Tea

Supply Greatly Exceeds Demand and Market Is Glutted

There have been for some time past two policies before the tea industry. One was to restrict production in the hope thereby of forcing up prices. The other was to leave production untouched in the hope of fresh markets. The latter policy is almost impossible to carry out in the face of restrictions on trade in every quarter. In microcosm the tea industry reflects the troubles of all the big industries of the world; world production is at least 20 per cent. ahead of world consumption. The market is glutted with tea; London stocks at the end of 1932 were forty-one million pounds in excess of stocks at the end of 1931. And as output has increased, so have prices slumped. The old distinction between medium and common teas has disappeared, and if the unrestricted production of the last year or two continues the price for good tea will go the same way too, and about one-third of India's tea gardens will be forced to close down.—Calcutta Englishman.

Little Helps For This Week

"Show me Thy ways O Lord; teach me Thy paths."—Psalm 24:4.

That which is so often asked of God is not so much His will and way as His approval of our way.—S. F. Smiley.

When we cannot see our way, let us trust and still obey. He who bids us forward go, cannot fail the way to show. Though the sea be deep and wide, Though a passage seem denied; Fearless let us still proceed, Since the Lord our vouchers to lead.

There is nothing like the first glance we get at duty before there has been any special pleading of our affections or inclinations. Duty is never uncertain at first. It is only after we have become involved in the mazes of wishing things were otherwise than they are that it seems indistinct. Considering a duty is often explaining it away. Deliberation is often dishonesty. God's guidance is plain when we are true.—F. W. Robertson.

Proved Good Friend

Motorist Was Rewarded For Giving Man a Ride

A friendly motorist speeding toward Kingston, Ontario, picked up a pedestrian. He commenced again to speed up around 60 miles per hour. Overhauled by an officer, his name was taken and he was told to appear in court at Kingston on such a day. When he let down his pedestrian in the Kingston City, the latter turned to him and said: "I appreciate your kindness. I am on parole and have to report at Portmouth, and just to show you my appreciation for the ride, here is the book of the motor cycle cop with your entry in it."

THE RHYMING OPTIMIST

By Alice Michels

THE ARTIST'S SWEETHEART

I know that you have made me live Upon the canvas there; Although, perforce, your brush must give More beauty than my share.

But in your eyes—ah! well I know You saw me full of grace. And that is why you limned me so, Fair form and ardent face.

Another artist might have said: "She lacks this hue, that line. With too much pride she lifts her head. Her hands are far from fine."

But you have glimpsed within the clay What others cannot see. A spirit shining as the day, The inner self of me.

And you have painted what I seem To love's transforming sight; Not just a woman, but a dream Of all things pure and bright!

Fuzzle More Important Have you heard the new story about the latest parlor game? The lady of the house suggested to her maid that she make some biscuits for luncheon. "I'm sorry, Mrs. Jones," returned the maid, "but I can't do it. I've got a jigsaw puzzle on the bread board."

Policeman: "What are you standing here for?"

Loafers: "Nothin'."

Policeman: "Well, just move on. If everyone stood in one place, how would the rest get past?"

American agricultural equipment has been introduced into Portugal.



Miss Campbell's Recipe for Cup Cakes

1 cup butter 2 cups sugar
1 cup sugar 2 eggs
1/2 teaspoon vanilla 2 teaspoons Magic Baking Powder
1/4 teaspoon salt 1 cup milk

Cream butter thoroughly; add sugar a little at a time, beating well. Add yolks of eggs and vanilla; beat well. Stir flour with baking powder and salt, and add, alternately with milk, to first mixture. Fold in stiffly beaten egg whites. Bake in greased cup cake tin, or in paper baking cups, in moderate oven at 375° F. about 25 minutes. Serve warm from the oven, sprinkled with powdered sugar. Or cool, and frost the tops. You will find many delicious frosting recipes in the Magic Cook Book.

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Twenty-five Years Ago

(Crossfield Chronicle, March 11, 1908)
A. Wheeler of Wheelerville was in town on Tuesday.
Geo. and Ross Gates and Geo. Fowler accompanied by A. A. Charter went out to Red Deer on Monday to locate homesteads.

Levi Bone of Rodney has already got 60 acres of wheat and barley into the ground.
Capt. Wyle returned to the east on Thursday after spending the winter on his ranch here.

Attention is again drawn to the fact that the Government Creamery will re-open May 1st.

MARRIED—At Calgary, Miss Edna Good to Eph Butcher.

BORN—At Rodney, to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hayes, a son.

Presbyterian Church Concert was a great success. Artists were: Messrs. Ferguson, Thomas, Navinger, Magee and Scholefield, Mrs. Scholefield, Mrs. Magee, Mrs. Sutherland, pianist.

MISSING from the C. P. R. folder map, the flourishing town with 400 inhabitants known as Crossfield. Don't waste your time looking for it as it is not on the C. P. R. maps.

The Village Council met and passed by-laws setting out methods of fire protection. Barrels and buckets, of course there were other restrictions like where to place your ashes, etc.

Fall wheat reported looking O.K.

A definite move has started for a herd law petition.

Wheat No. 1, Red 82c bus. Oats 28c.

Barley 35c Potatoes 40c.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Pines and Miss Lula McCool arrived home from holidaying in Ontario.

Agent Who Paid \$37 on Client's Policy Collects in Court

Claim for \$37.50 and costs of the action were allowed John H. Ure, insurance agent at Carstairs, by Judge W. A. MacDonald in district court, Wednesday, when evidence showed that Charles Duggan, a Crossfield farmer, had failed to reimburse the plaintiff to that amount for having paid his insurance premium.

Ure claimed he had paid Duggan's premium when it came due on the understanding that the defendant would repay the amount. Ure had previously sold the policy on Vaux, Alberta property to Duggan—Calgary Herald.

U. F. A. HALL: CROSSFIELD
Friday, March 24th.

The Carstairs Dramatic Society
Present

"The Big Broadcast"

Featuring a Night With
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Also
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Under the auspices of the Crossfield
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Adults 25c Children 15c

Reserved Seats 35c. Seats on sale
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Another Lawyer Goes Wrong

A Wetaskiwin lawyer has been sent to jail for misappropriation of funds. Fine, but where does his client get off who he got his hooks into for over \$3000.00?

The woods are full of these shyster lawyers and the money they have gotten away with in Alberta is appalling.

It's strange, but there is not a Provincial government in Canada that has ever made it compulsory for a lawyer to put up bonds so that his client is protected in case he goes hay-wire. On the other hand an honest grain buyer must furnish bonds before he can buy grain for an Elevator Co. A secretary of a Municipal District is bonded, and he must keep a "trust account" for monies he collects for the Provincial Government. But the lawyer, no, he must be respected at any cost.

The Provincial Government handles the lawyers like they did the trustees of the canteen fund.

A. Stevens Leading Point Getter Club \$21.03 in the Red

The local Hockey Club played twenty-three games, won eight, tied five, lost ten. A. Stevens was the leading point scorer with 18. S. Miller 15, E. Sharp 13, L. Pullan 8, R. McFadyen 5, B. Smart 3, K. McMillan 2, B. McLeod 1.

Alfred Stevens is the winner of a pair of shoes, donated by Geo. Lem to the player getting the greatest number of points. Came across George.

Total expenditures, \$322.33, receipts \$301.30, deficit \$21.03.

With The Curlers

Two rinks of local curlers visited the North Hill Curling Club, Calgary on Thursday evening last and broke even in two friendly games. Both games were won with the last rock. Glen Williams winning his game by a score of 11-10 and C. H. McMillan losing his game by the same count.

Following the games the curlers were entertained to a sumptuous lunch by the Calgary curlers.

On Saturday afternoon two rinks from the North Hill Club paid a return visit to Crossfield, winning two games and tying two games. In the afternoon games both the local skippers, Glen Williams and Ed. Meyers, took it on the chin, while at night, Mayor Williams and C.H. McMillan held their opponents to a draw, no overtime being played.

The visiting curlers were the guests of the Crossfield Curling Club to a dinner at the Oliver Cafe, and after the night games were given a very dainty lunch at the rink by members of the Ladies Curling Club.

The games with Calgary were a fitting climax to one of the most successful years in the history of the Club, and not only have the exponents of the rosin' game had all the curling they wanted, but owing to the untiring efforts of President, Ed. Meyers, and Secretary C. H. McMillan, the Club have finished the year with a balance on the right side of the ledger, which is going some in these days.

Thanks

Through the medium of this paper the Crossfield Hockey Club wish to thank the local merchants for their kind donations; also the ladies for their lovely cakes, and the East Community Hall Committee for donating the hall which enabled the Hockey Club to make a success on the dance. We also take this opportunity of thanking George Lem for the efficient manner he handled the supper.

L. PULLAN, Secretary
Crossfield Hockey Club

ISAW

Don. McCaslin playing his first game of rummy and winning the game at that.

C. H. McMillan on his way to the Community Sale with a baby's crib.

Fred Baker uttering a loud moan as he put up a \$107.00 for a truck license.

Archie McFadyen and George Lem going to do a lot of betting on a hockey game, but they both kept their money out of sight.

Bill Stralo, Geo. Murdoch, Jim McBeth and Jim Belshaw working in and out of the crowd at the Community Sale with paper and pencil in hand, gathering in the dollars and promises on behalf of the United Church deficit.

F. Purvis coming down in search of bread on Wednesday afternoon. Did he get it? Harry Kenny and Archie Switzer moving in to their new bachelor quarters.

Tom Mair getting Bill Woods up at 2 a. m. so that he could get gasoline to take him to the wedding dance. No, Tom was perfectly sober.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Perry Gano of Bottrel, on March 13th, a son.

Don and Jack McMillan have rented the Assary farm, known as the Becker place 1 mile north of town.

The Airside Annual Community Sale will be held at Airside on Wed., March 22nd. 50 head of good work horses, cattle, hogs, implements, harness, etc. will be offered for sale. L. Farr, auctioneer.

The Calgary Girls' Pipe Band gave a most excellent concert to a large and appreciative audience in the Beaver Dam Hall, Madden, on Friday evening last. It was the unanimous opinion of many that it was the best concert ever given in these parts. Following the concert, dancing was kept up until an early hour.

LOST—Young sheep dog "Jack," big rough grey coat, long tail, lame on one front leg. Left home March 7. Phone 1408—Harry May.

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THURSDAY, MAR 16th, 1933.

Local News

Mrs. A. W. Gordon visited relatives at Olds on Monday.

Adam Cruickshank was a visitor to Acme on Monday.

A. W. Gordon and Frank Hopper made a business trip to Sundre on Monday.

Mrs. Annon of Wayne is the guest of Mrs. Cruickshank.

Mrs. Cruickshank and Mrs. Annon spent the week-end at High River.

Ten members of the Crossfield Masonic Lodge visited the Didsbury Lodge on Tuesday night.

The town resembled a circus day on Tuesday as people from all parts of the district came to town to attend the Community Sale.

The Rexall One Cent Sale means that you buy one article at the regular price, add one cent and take two.

Mrs. Marcellus, sister of Mrs. Currie, who has been ill in the General Hospital, Calgary, is resting quietly at the Rectory.

The Rexall One Cent Sale will be held at McClelland's Drug Store on Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week.

Harry Kenney has purchased the shack belonging to the late 'Shorty' Thomas on Hammond Street.

Chris Assmusen sold 22 head of calves to Gordon Riddell on Monday.

Mrs. Chas. Mieland and children visited friends in Carstairs on Monday.

John Revege who has been farming west of town, is moving to the Didsbury district.

Hughie Ballam is building an addition to his chicken house. Hughie has a nice flock of Rhode Island Reds, and as a sideline he has made it pay.

The Crossfield Fellowship Club entertained the members of the Carstairs Young People's Club on Thursday evening last at a dance in the Masonic Hall.

Fred Patchell returned on Monday from Calgary after spending a few days in the General Hospital, Calgary. Fred is feeling a lot better and is out and around again.

The Madden Baseball Club are holding a dance in the Beaver Dam Hall on Friday, March 24. Admission 50c a couple. The baseball club need your support, so turn-out and have a good time, and at the same time help a good cause.

We have received a letter from Big Prairie recently, the writer goes to considerable length to defend the actions of a stool pigeon. Personally we have no use for this kind of a palooka and therefore the letter will not appear in this great family journal.

A grand concert comprising the best talent from all the schools belonging to the Crossfield School Fair Association will be held in the U. F. A. Hall on Friday, March 31, commencing at 8 p.m. Adults 25c, children 15c. Reserved seats 35c. Tickets on sale at McClelland's Drug Store.

Miss Isabel Leask who is attending high school at Calgary spent the week-end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Leask of Madden. Isabel is a member of the Calgary Girls' Pipe Band, and not only is she a piper, but is also an accomplished tap dancer.

The Municipal District of Rosebud have arranged with Dr. McClelland for a supply of strychnine for gopher poison. It may be obtained at McClelland's Drug Store, Crossfield, at almost cost—75c per ounce. This strychnine is of the highest quality and is twice as deadly to gophers as poison of an inferior grade.

Keep in mind the U. F. W. A. Calico Dance in the East Community Hall on Friday night of this week.

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Council Meetings

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By Order of the Village Council.
T. Tredaway, Sec.-Treas.

DENTIST

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T. Tredaway, Sec.

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Signs of Spring—The gophers are out in full force; seed catalogues have arrived; the sparrows are building their nests; Dr. Williams' cactus plant clearly indicates that there will be no more winter; O. E. Jones is getting very restless.

Kill The Gopher and Save All

The gophers are out. Now is the time to poison them, as one destroyed now will make several less to eat up your grain later on in the summer.

When the price of grain is the lowest, is the time you cannot afford to lose any—kill the gophers.

Don't forget that great talking motion picture "Sunshine Smiles" at Carstairs on Monday night.